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Title | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TENSILE TESTING AND RETHRADING  
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- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description

☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. § 113) [Total Sheets 6]

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

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### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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107	490	Plant filing fee	
108	710	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	Provisional filing fee	

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra	Fee from	Fee Paid
		Claims below	
Total Claims	58 - 20** = 38	x 18 =	684
Independent Claims	7 - 3** = 4	x 80 =	320

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Large Entity

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103	18	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	Design issue fee	
144	600	Plant issue fee	
122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
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149	710	For each additional invention to be examined (37 C.F.R. § 1.129(b))	


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